75th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2009 Regular Session MEASURE: HR 7

STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY CARRIER: Rep. G. Smith

House Committee on Rules

REVENUE: No revenue impact **FISCAL:** No fiscal impact

 Action:
 Be Adopted

 Vote:
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Yeas: Berger, Edwards C., Garrard, Gelser, Jenson, Read, Roblan

Nays: 0 Exc.: Nolan

Prepared By: Patrick Brennan, Administrator

Meeting Dates: 6/11

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Congratulates the Port of Morrow on its 50th anniversary.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- History of the Port of Morrow
- · Impact of the port on economic growth in the community and region

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: The Port of Morrow, located near Boardman, is located on the Columbia River in close proximity to Interstate 84 and the east-west main line for the Union Pacific Railroad. It is governed by a five-member board of commissioners elected by voters from the port district. In addition to its marine facilities, the port operates three industrial parks and the Boardman Airport.